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SUBJ: OAU/NATHANIEL DAVIS NOMINATION - GHANA PRESS COVERAGE

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1. GOVERNMENT-OWNED GHANAIAI TIMES FEBRUARY 22 CARRIED OAU RESOLUTION ON DAVIS APPOINTMENT UNDER TITLE "AFRICA OBJECTS TO CIA MAN." PAPER FOLLOWED THIS ON FEBRUARY 26 WITH STORY ON SECRETARY'S LETTER TO OAU SECRETARY-GENERAL (USING REUTER QUOTES FROM LETTER) UNDER TITLE "KISSINGER BITTER OVER OAU CRITICISM OF CIA MAN." LATTER STORY ALSO QUOTED TANZANIAN FONMINISTER AS SAYING DAVIS PREVIOUSLY "SUGGESTED BY US AMBASSADOR TO ZAIRE OR NIGERIA, BUT BOTH COUNTRIES HAD TURNED HIM DOWN."

2. OTHER GOVERNMENT-OWNED ACCRA NEWSPAPER, DAILY GRAPHIC, FEBRUARY 22 CARRIED BRIEF REPORT OF OAU RESOLUTION UNDER HEADING "CIA AGENT NOT WANTED." ON FEBRUARY 26, THIS PAPER CARRIED STRAIGHT REUTER QUOTE ON SECRETARY'S LETTER UNDER TITLE "US PROTESTS OVER DAVIS AFFAIR."

3. ALL EDITORS HERE SENT FULL TEXT OF SECRETARY'S LETTER IN USIS RELEASE FEBRUARY 25.

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